

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: H. ITO Confirmation No.: 3747
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PROCESSING APPARATUS
Group: 2155
Examiner: S. Ismail

AMENDMENT

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 19, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2008, the reply thereto being extended by one month by a Petition for One Month Extension of Time set to expire on December 20, 2008, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks are included following the amendments.